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MR. ROGER C. SULLIVAN.

Successful business man, friend of worthy Afro-Americans and Democratic candidate for United States Senator from Illinois to be voted for at the State wide Primaries Wednesday, September 9, and the Hon. John P. Hopkins, the Hon. Thomas J. Webb, the Hon. John McGillen, the Hon. George E. Brennan, the Hon. George L. McConnell, the Hon. Ross C. Hall, the Hon. Robert M. Sweitzer and the Hon. Charles Boeschstein, are all firmly of the opinion that he will make a home run and land the nomination with both hands down.

ALONZO J. BOWLING WAS THE ONLY AFRO-AMERICAN TO PASS THE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION QUALIFYING HIM TO SERVE ON THE CENSORSHIP BOARD.

Lately a civil service examination was held to select ten members from among those who could stand the test to serve on the Moving Picture Censorship Board and Alonzo J. Bowling, 3518 Forest avenue, who has resided in this city for several years, was the only Afro-American who was able to success-

fully pass through the grinding mill, as three or four others who attempted it, fell by the wayside.

Mr. Bowling, is a graduate of the University of Michigan, the Ohio State University and Howard University, Washington, D. C., and it is the sixth civil service examination which he has successfully passed with credit to himself and the Colored people residing in Chicago would be pleased indeed if he should without delay be selected, as one of the members of Moving Picture Censorship Board.



ALDERMAN GEORGE F. HARDING.

Valuable member of the City Council since 1905, popular with the Afro-Americans in all parts of Cook County and Republican candidate for the nomination at the Primaries Wednesday, September 9. For State Senator from the first Senatorial district of Illinois.

The Nineteenth Anniversary Edition of The BROAD AX Will Make Its Appearance Saturday, September 5

IT WILL BE TWO TO THREE TIMES LARGER THAN ITS PRESENT SIZE. IT WILL CONTAIN A REVIEW FROM ITS CONCEPTION IN SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, AUGUST 31ST, 1895 DOWN TO THE PRESENT TIME.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND COPIES OF THAT ISSUE WILL BE IN EVIDENCE IN ALL PARTS OF CHICAGO, THROUGHOUT ILLINOIS AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE COUNTRY.

TWENTY-FIVE REAMS OF AMERICAN HALF TONE BOOK PAPER WILL BE USED IN ITS PRODUCTION, THE PAPER ALONE COSTING MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

IT WILL CONTAIN CUTS AND SKETCHES OF MANY OF THE LEADING CANDIDATES SEEKING THE VOTES OF THE PEOPLE AT THE PRIMARIES WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS BOTH WHITE AND COLORED.

HAVING MANY FRIENDS IN BOTH WINGS OF THE WARRING OR FIGHTING FACTIONS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY AND IN BOTH CAMPS OR FACTIONS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY, IT WILL NOT WAGE ANY BITTER FIGHTS AGAINST ANY OF THE WORTHY ASPIRING CANDIDATES FOR THE VARIOUS OFFICES IN COOK COUNTY.

UNLESS SUCH CANDIDATES OR INDIVIDUALS ATTEMPTS TO PUT SOMETHING OVER ON THE EDITOR—IN THAT CASE A FEW BRICKS MIGHT BE HEAVED AT THEM.

IT WILL ALSO OMIT TO MENTION THE NAMES OF THE REV. HON. ARCHIBALD JACKSON CAREY, PH. D. D. D. AND THE HON. THOMAS WALLACE SWANN IN THESE COLUMNS UNTIL AFTER THE PRIMARIES.

NOW IS THE TIME TO ADVERTISE IN THE BROAD AX, TO SECURE WRITE UPS IN IT, TO SUBSCRIBE FOR IT AND TO READ IT FOR IT IS BY FAR THE MOST POWERFUL AND THE MOST INFLUENTIAL NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN THE INTEREST OF THE AFRO-AMERICAN RACE IN THE MIDDLE WEST.

In 1905, after a very bitter and rough and tumble fight Alderman George F. Harding, Republican candidate for the nomination for state senator in the first senatorial district, was for the first time elected to the city council from the old Second Ward, The Broad Ax, being the only newspaper on the south side which warmly supported him at that time, and from that time to the present he has been one of the most valuable and hard working members and has always served with much credit to himself and to the citizenship of Chicago on many of the most important committees and he has always worked and voted for every measure which would redound to the benefit of all the people throughout this city.

He is a true blue Chicagoan for he was in this city at his beautiful home 2336 Indiana Ave., where he has resided until this day.

Alderman Harding never conducts himself in no swaggering manner for at all times he will bestow the proper amount of consideration upon all those who approach him and it makes not the slightest difference to him whether they are of high or low degree, rich or poor, White or Black and that is one reason why he is so extremely popular with all classes of his fellow citizens.

He is a graduate of Harvard College, also of the Phillips Exter of New Hampshire and that fact alone largely accounts for his splendid intellectual attainments.

In conclusion there is not the slightest question about him securing the nomination for state senator at the primaries, Wednesday, September 9th, for he is the peoples candidate in the first senatorial district and the vast majority of its voters are at his back and will assist to land him safe and sound in the state senate at Springfield, Illinois.

THE LADIES CULTURE DRILL CLUB.

Monday evening, the Ladies Culture Drill Team, held forth at Brand's Hall, 645 N. Clark street.

The hall was crowded by those who wished to witness their fine drilling;

William M. Brinkman, Republican candidate for member of the Legislature of Illinois from the first senatorial district was born into this grand old world in this city, Jan. 7, 1872, he is therefore in his forty-second year and just budding into ripe manhood, he received his education in its public schools and his first class business training within its walls.

November 14, 1894, he joined the great army of married men and he and Mrs. Brinkman are the proud and happy parents of four bright and interesting children and they reside in their own fine large flat building at 3119 Indiana Ave. Mr. and Mrs. Brinkman are the highest products of that sturdy race, the German-American race which has in every way accomplished so much in the way of assisting to make this the greatest nation in existence today.

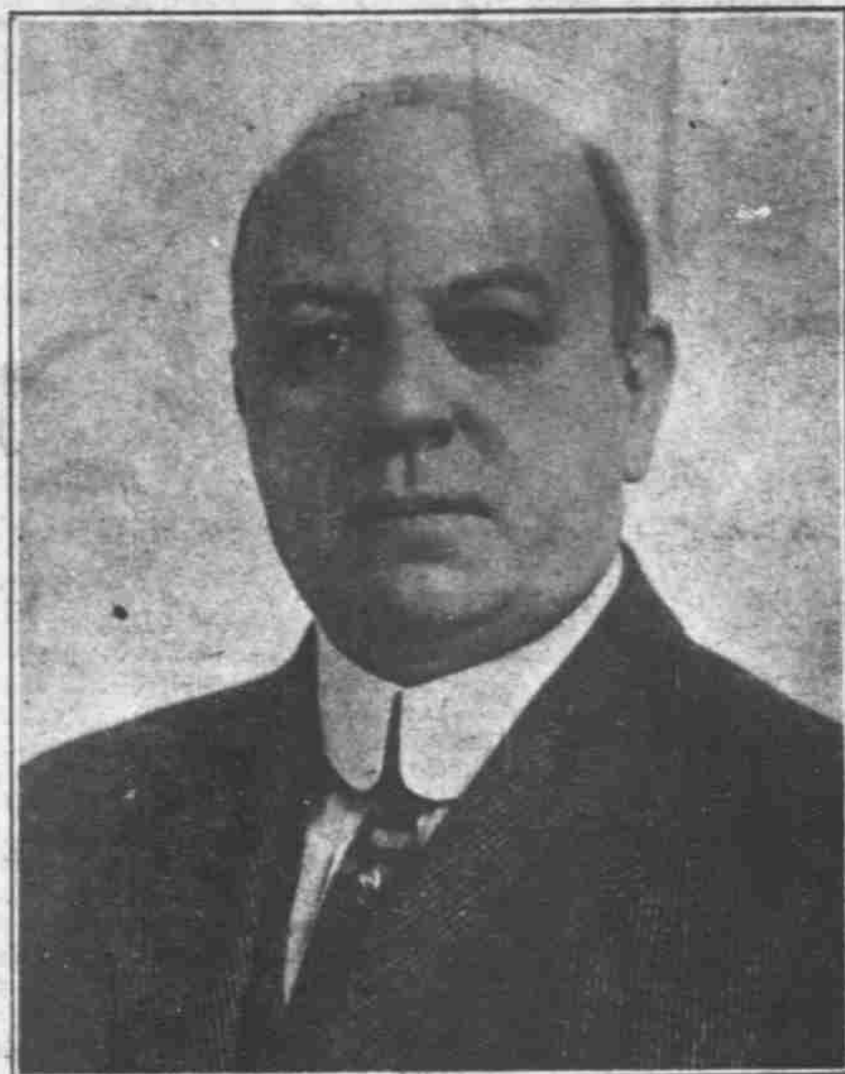
For more than twenty years has been one of the solid residents of the second ward, he has for ten years served as precinct committeeman and secretary of the Second Ward Republican Club, and to his credit this is the first time that he has ever sought any public office.

He is an honored member of the Hamilton Club, the Royal Arcanum, Masonic, and a member of the Art Institute, which is conclusive proof that he is a gentleman of culture and refinement.

Mr. Brinkman like unto Alderman George F. Harding has always been fair minded and friendly towards all Afro-Americans who amount to anything and they will greatly assist both of them to march on to victory at the primaries Wednesday September the 9th.

each member of the team were costumed in their latest uniforms, white serge Russian pantlet suits, white military cape and white wands and they looked exceedingly neat and attractive.

Col. J. W. Isom, and Captain Carrie Seams, 5026 Federal street deserve to be highly praised for the fine drilling on their part.



HON. FRANK H. GRAHAM.

One of the just and upright judges of the Municipal Court and Democratic candidate for re-nomination and re-election for that same position at the Primaries Wednesday, September 9.

Hon. Frank H. Graham, Democratic candidate for re-nomination and re-election, as one of the judges of the Municipal Court, was born in this great city in 1866 and has resided in it all of his days on earth. So it can be truly said, that he is to the manner-born.

He received his education in its public schools and in the course of time, he entered the Union College of Law, graduating from it with all the high honors due him.

Later on he took a post graduate course in the law department of the

Lake Forest University. Shortly after emerging from it, he was employed as a clerk for the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company, and served in that capacity until 1885, then he started out to earn his own living in the world of law being admitted to the Illinois Bar Association in 1887.

He is also an honored member of the Chicago Bar Association and a large degree or measure of success was showered upon him while engaged in the practice of his chosen profession.

Judge Graham, was elected one of the judges of the Municipal Court in 1912

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WILLIAM M. BRINKMAN.

The successful real estate broker, property holder, member of the Hamilton Club and Republican candidate for nomination at the Primaries Wednesday, September 9, for member of the legislature, from the first Senatorial district of Illinois.